

Important PARCC Information

As you are aware, the state of New Jersey is required to test students in ELA, Math and Science. This state-mandated PARCC test for ELA and Math will be occurring at Mainland Regional on May 7th-11th and May 14th. The new Science test, called NJSL-Science, will be given to ALL Juniors (11th graders) regardless of what Science course they are presently enrolled in and will take place on May 22nd and 23rd.

Students who are scheduled to take a PARCC test must arrive at their assigned times. The PARCC ELA and Math testing schedule can be found on our website and attached to this message. Late arrivals will not be allowed to enter the testing room once testing has started.

Transportation will be provided for all normally bused students. If the testing is in the morning, the bus pick-up time will not change. If the testing is in the afternoon, students must report to their regular bus stop 4 hours later than their normal pickup time.

Students who are scheduled to test but who do not attend school on their scheduled testing day will be marked absent.

Students who are not scheduled to test on any of these dates will have the following options to receive attendance credit:

1. Come to school as you normally would and study/work in the library from 8-12:30
2. Work on College Choices/Applications or Visitations
3. Investigate career opportunities through research, job-shadowing or other work experiences
4. Perform Community Service

NOTE:

Students who are using Options 1- 4 above for attendance purposes will need to submit to the Attendance Office (Ms. Andrea Tsikouras) a completed Attendance Credit Form for PARCC Testing Days. These forms can be picked up in the Main Office. The deadline to submit these forms is Friday, June 1st.

PARCC Testing Schedule, Spring 2018
May 7 – 14

ELA

9th Grade English Language Arts (ELA09)

Monday, May 7th AM Session - 2 Units

Arrive 8:00 AM Testing from 8:00-12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Dismissal 12:30

Monday, May 14th PM Session – 1 Unit

Arrive by 12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Testing from 12:30-2:39

10th Grade English Language Arts (ELA10)

Monday, May 7th PM Session – 1 Unit

Arrive by 12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Testing from 12:30-2:39

Monday, May 14th AM Session – 2 Units

Arrive 8:00 AM Testing from 8:00-12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Dismissal 12:30

11th Grade English Language Arts (ELA11) (Students taking AP English are exempt)

Tuesday, May 8th AM Session – 2 Units

Arrive 8:00 AM Testing from 8:00-12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Dismissal 12:30

Thursday, May 10th PM Session – 1 Unit

Arrive by 12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Testing from 12:30-2:39

MATH

Algebra I (ALG01)

Tuesday, May 8th PM Session – 1 Unit

Arrive by 12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Testing from 12:30-2:39

Thursday, May 10th AM Session – 2 Units

Arrive 8:00 AM Testing from 8:00-12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Dismissal 12:30

Geometry (GEO01)

Wednesday, May 9th PM Session – 1 Unit

Arrive by 12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Testing from 12:30-2:39

Friday, May 11th AM Session – 2 Units

Arrive 8:00 AM Testing from 8:00-12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Dismissal 12:30

Algebra II (ALG02)

Wednesday, May 9th AM Session – 2 Units

Arrive 8:00 AM Testing from 8:00-12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Dismissal 12:30

Friday, May 11th PM Session – 1 Unit

Arrive by 12:00 Lunch 12:00-12:30 Testing from 12:30-2:39

Schedule for Seniors NOT Assigned to Take a PARCC Test

Wednesday, May 9th

Arrive by 12:30

Sign in at the auditorium for the presentation titled “After the Fire”

Dismissal 2:39

Monday, May 14th

Arrive by 9:30 (if you are a bussed student, take your normal morning bus and report to the auditorium)

Sign in at the Auditorium for an important Senior Class Meeting followed by the presentation “Steered Straight”

Dismissal 12:30

NJSLS-Science Test Schedule

Tuesday, May 22nd and Wednesday, May 23rd

ALL Juniors (11th graders) report to Mainland Regional High School at the normal time of 8:00 AM.

All other students arrive at Mainland Regional High School at 10:30 AM. Bussed students should arrive at their bus stops two and a half hours later than normally scheduled unless they are Juniors taking the Science Test.